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Arizona's Economy Held Steady in January; Unemployment Rate at 4.3%, Below U.S. Level

Arizona's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.3 percent in January, essentially unchanged from a revised rate of 4.2 percent in December 2007. At the national level, the adjusted unemployment rate was also essentially unchanged at 4.9 percent. Average annual employment growth in 2007 was 1.2 percent, compared to average annual growth of 5 percent in 2006.

Note: The January 2008 industry employment and labor force data released today by ADOC, Research Administration (RA) reflects benchmarked, or revised, data from the establishment and household surveys. Nonfarm payroll employment for Arizona, which comes from the establishment survey, and all substate areas have been benchmarked for 2006 and 2007. In addition, RA revised Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) data (household survey) -- which includes the labor force, employment, unemployment and unemployment rates -- from 2003 to 2007. Some of the LAUS data, however, will not be immediately available. See RA's official Web site, www.workforce.az.gov, for the latest data release, or call 602-542-3781.

Arizona's economy lost a less-than-seasonally expected 46,000 nonfarm jobs in January for a level of 2,647,500 jobs. The over-the-year gain in January 2008 (Jan. 2007 – Jan. 2008) was 16,800 (0.6 percent). Ten of 11 major industries reported employment losses in January. Jobs declined in both goods-producing (-5,800) and in service-providing industries (-40,200). The private sector has shown slight over-the-year job losses for the last five months.

Within the goods-producing industries, the construction sector lost 5,300 jobs, mostly in specialty trades (-2,800). Construction of buildings was down by 2,200 while heavy construction lost 300 jobs. The industry now has more than five months of consecutive losses, though the over-the-month growth rate was still within the 10-year average.

The professional and business services industry lost the largest number of jobs of all industries (-10,000) in the month of January; however, the loss was less than expected for the month. Employment services, business support services and services to buildings and dwellings all showed losses.

Leisure and hospitality pared 5,200 jobs. This industry's growth rate in

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Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adj.)

	Jan. '08	Dec. '07	Jan. '07
United States	4.9%	5.0%	4.6%
Arizona	4.3%	4.2%	3.9%
Phoenix-Metro	NA	NA	NA
Tucson-Metro	NA	NA	NA
Flagstaff-Metro	NA	NA	NA
Lake Havasu City-Kingman-Metro	NA	NA	NA
Prescott-Metro	NA	NA	NA
Yuma-Metro	NA	NA	NA

Note: See Table section for definitions of metro areas.

NA - Not Currently Available

Arizona Nonfarm Payroll Employment (in Thousands)

	Jan. '08	Dec. '07	Jan. '07
Overall	2,647.5	2,693.5	2,630.7
Over-Month % Chg.	-1.7%	0.0%	-2.5%
Year-to-Year % Chg.	0.6%	-0.2%	2.7%

January (-1.9 percent) was only slightly below the 10-year average for this month (-1.6 percent). Accommodation and food services had the largest decrease (-4,800).

Financial activities employment

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declined by 1,900. Finance and insurance was down by 400 while real estate and rental and leasing lost 1,500 jobs.

Government employment declined by a less-than-seasonally expected 8,600 jobs. The losses occurred in local education (-4,800), similar to seasonal losses in private education.

Educational and health services trimmed a seasonally expected 3,900 jobs with the majority of the losses occurring in educational services (-2,300). Private educational services had the same seasonal impacts as that of government education. Hospitals was the only sub-sector

that gained jobs within this industry (+200) in January.

Information had a loss of 500 jobs. Telecommunications, which decreased by 200, continued to show fluctuations in employment levels and was down 1.3 percent over-the-year.

Other services trimmed 900 jobs. This industry had an over-the-year loss of 1.3 percent.

Natural resources and mining was the only major industry to gain jobs (+100). Job levels in mining have shown continued growth during the past few years with an average annual gain of 1,400, a level not seen since before 1991.

Manufacturing experienced a loss of 600 jobs. The majority of losses occurred in durable goods (-400). Durable goods had losses in the fab-

ricated metal, and aerospace products sectors (-200 total jobs).

Trade, transportation and utilities pared the second largest number of jobs (-9,200) for a supersector. Losses were spread among most component sectors with building materials and garden equipment dealers showing the only increase (+300). Seasonally expected post-holiday losses in retail trade accounted for the majority of the decline (-7,100).

Arizona's economy showed less-than-seasonally expected post-holiday related losses in January. The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.3 percent. Natural resources and mining was the only major industry to show a gain. However, total job losses were below the 10-year-average. A slowing, yet overall stable economy was evident in January.

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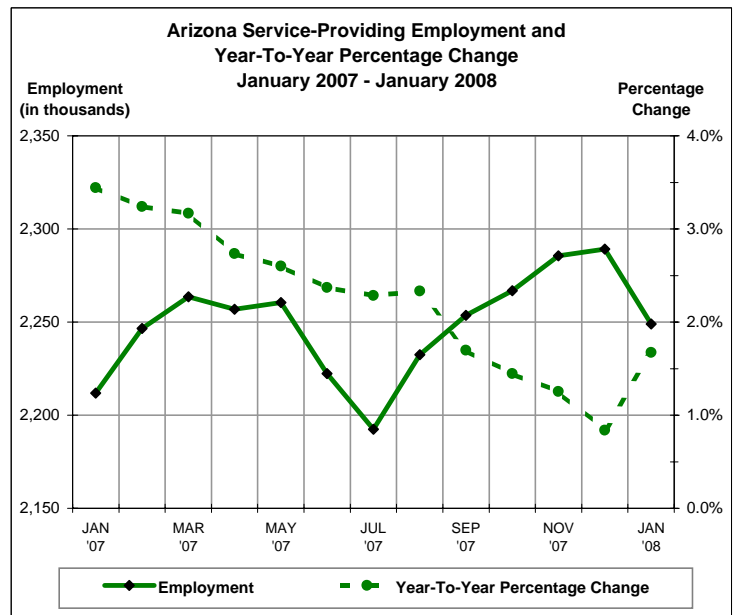
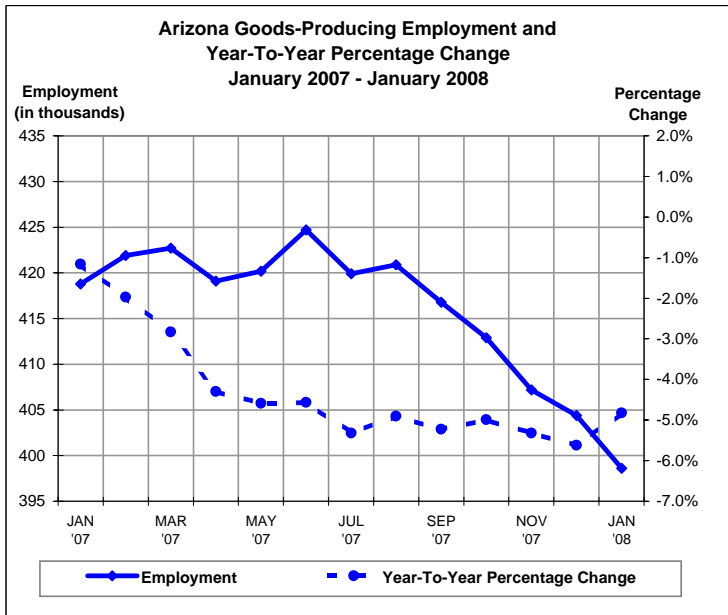
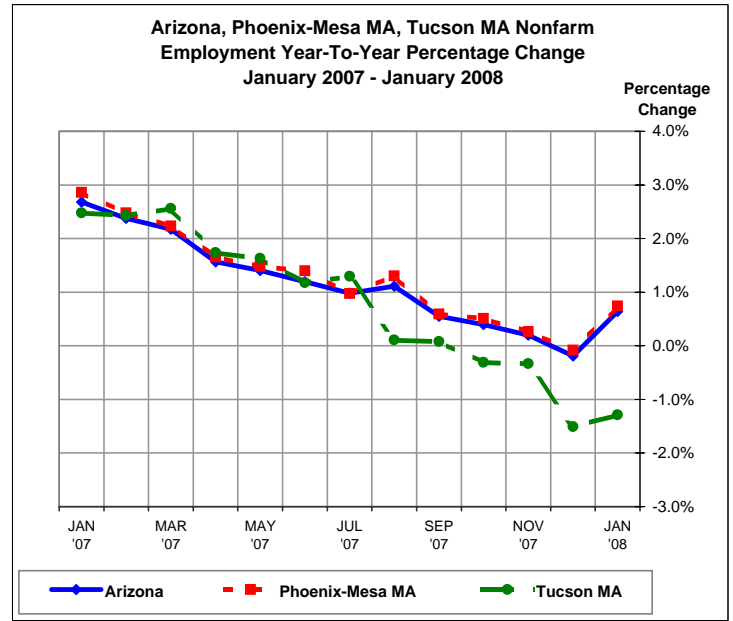
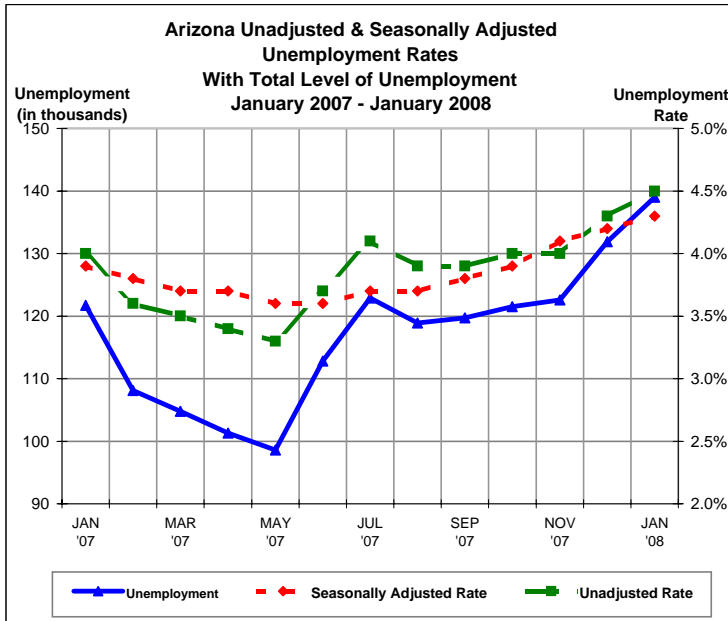
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Source: Prepared by the Arizona Dept. of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, February 2008

Table 1

Arizona Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^(a)

(in Thousands)

	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	Jan.	Dec.	Jan.	Dec. '07 -	Jan. '07 -
	2008 ^(b)	2007 ^(c)	2007	Jan. '08	Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(d)	3,075.6	3,067.4	3,010.6	8.2	65.0
Unemployment	139.0	131.9	121.7	7.1	17.3
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	4.3%	4.0%	0.2	0.5
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	4.3%	4.2%	3.9%	0.1	0.4
Total Employment	2,936.7	2,935.5	2,888.9	1.2	47.8
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	2,647.5	2,693.5	2,630.7	-46.0	16.8
Private Sector	2,214.7	2,252.1	2,220.9	-37.4	-6.2
Government	432.8	441.4	409.8	-8.6	23.0
Goods-Producing Industries	398.6	404.4	418.8	-5.8	-20.2
Manufacturing	180.0	180.6	181.6	-0.6	-1.6
Durable Goods	144.8	145.2	146.2	-0.4	-1.4
Fabricated Metal	19.7	19.8	19.8	-0.1	-0.1
Computer and Electronic Parts	41.6	41.6	42.9	0.0	-1.3
Aerospace Products and Parts	27.5	27.6	26.0	-0.1	1.5
Nondurable Goods	35.2	35.4	35.4	-0.2	-0.2
Natural Resources and Mining	12.3	12.2	10.5	0.1	1.8
Metal Ore Mining	9.5	9.5	7.8	0.0	1.7
Construction	206.3	211.6	226.7	-5.3	-20.4
Buildings	38.4	40.6	43.3	-2.2	-4.9
Heavy	27.9	28.2	27.8	-0.3	0.1
Specialty Trades	140.0	142.8	155.6	-2.8	-15.6
Service-Providing Industries	2,248.9	2,289.1	2,211.9	-40.2	37.0
Private Service Providing	1,816.1	1,847.7	1,802.1	-31.6	14.0
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	529.0	538.2	522.0	-9.2	7.0
Trade	443.4	451.8	436.2	-8.4	7.2
Wholesale Trade	107.9	109.2	107.7	-1.3	0.2
Retail Trade	335.5	342.6	328.5	-7.1	7.0
Clothing & Clothing Accessories Stores	25.1	26.6	23.2	-1.5	1.9
General Merchandise	66.8	70.2	64.1	-3.4	2.7
Department Stores	29.8	32.0	28.7	-2.2	1.1
Other General Merchandise	37.0	38.2	35.4	-1.2	1.6
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	46.6	46.7	46.7	-0.1	-0.1
Furniture and Home Furnishings Stores	14.6	14.7	15.6	-0.1	-1.0
Building Materials and Garden Equipment Dealers	26.9	26.6	27.5	0.3	-0.6
Food and Beverage Stores	60.3	60.6	59.4	-0.3	0.9
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	85.6	86.4	85.8	-0.8	-0.2
Transportation and Warehousing	72.9	73.7	73.2	-0.8	-0.3
Air Transportation	16.1	16.1	16.2	0.0	-0.1
Truck Transportation	20.6	21.0	20.2	-0.4	0.4
Utilities	12.7	12.7	12.6	0.0	0.1
Information	42.3	42.8	41.5	-0.5	0.8
Telecommunications	15.8	16.0	16.0	-0.2	-0.2
Financial Activities	178.8	180.7	184.3	-1.9	-5.5
Finance and Insurance	127.6	128.0	132.4	-0.4	-4.8
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	77.3	77.8	83.6	-0.5	-6.3
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	37.2	37.1	36.6	0.1	0.6
Securities, Commodity Contracts	13.1	13.1	12.2	0.0	0.9
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	51.2	52.7	51.9	-1.5	-0.7
Professional and Business Services	393.4	403.4	394.5	-10.0	-1.1
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	133.8	134.7	131.5	-0.9	2.3
Management of Companies and Enterprises	27.0	27.2	26.2	-0.2	0.8
Administrative and Support and Waste	232.6	241.5	236.8	-8.9	-4.2
Employment Services	114.8	119.9	117.0	-5.1	-2.2
Business Support Services	25.3	27.8	29.1	-2.5	-3.8
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	46.1	47.0	44.8	-0.9	1.3
Educational and Health Services	307.2	311.1	296.6	-3.9	10.6
Educational Services	43.0	45.3	43.0	-2.3	0.0
Health Care and Social Assistance	264.2	265.8	253.6	-1.6	10.6
Health Care	230.7	230.9	220.6	-0.2	10.1
Ambulatory Health Care Services	120.2	120.4	114.5	-0.2	5.7
Hospitals	72.1	71.9	70.0	0.2	2.1
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	38.4	38.6	36.1	-0.2	2.3
Social Assistance	33.5	34.9	33.0	-1.4	0.5
Leisure and Hospitality	270.3	275.5	266.8	-5.2	3.5
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	35.1	35.5	33.5	-0.4	1.6
Accommodation and Food Services	235.2	240.0	233.3	-4.8	1.9
Accommodation	46.8	47.8	47.1	-1.0	-0.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	188.4	192.2	186.2	-3.8	2.2
Other Services (except Public Administration)	95.1	96.0	96.4	-0.9	-1.3
Government	432.8	441.4	409.8	-8.6	23.0
Federal	52.8	53.2	52.0	-0.4	0.8
State	91.1	94.2	84.7	-3.1	6.4
State Education	47.9	50.7	41.9	-2.8	6.0
Local	288.9	294.0	273.1	-5.1	15.8
Local Education	154.2	159.0	143.7	-4.8	10.5

Notes: For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 2

Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(1)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(d)	2,086.3	2,080.4	2,040.0	5.9	46.3
Unemployment	84.3	79.2	73.9	5.1	10.4
Unemployment Rate	4.0%	3.8%	3.6%	0.2	0.4
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	2,002.0	2,001.1	1,966.1	0.9	35.9
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	1,895.9	1,928.0	1,881.9	-32.1	14.0
Private Sector	1,645.5	1,675.3	1,651.1	-29.8	-5.6
Government	250.4	252.7	230.8	-2.3	19.6
Goods-Producing Industries	292.2	297.0	310.2	-4.8	-18.0
Manufacturing	135.3	135.7	137.5	-0.4	-2.2
Durable Goods	108.6	108.9	110.8	-0.3	-2.2
Computer and Electronic Parts	38.2	38.2	39.4	0.0	-1.2
Aerospace Products and Parts	15.3	15.3	15.1	0.0	0.2
Nondurable Goods	26.7	26.8	26.7	-0.1	0.0
Natural Resources and Mining	3.2	3.1	2.9	0.1	0.3
Construction	153.7	158.2	169.8	-4.5	-16.1
Buildings	26.5	28.3	31.1	-1.8	-4.6
Heavy	22.1	22.3	21.9	-0.2	0.2
Specialty Trades	105.1	107.6	116.8	-2.5	-11.7
Service-Providing Industries	1,603.7	1,631.0	1,571.7	-27.3	32.0
Private Service Providing	1,353.3	1,378.3	1,340.9	-25.0	12.4
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	391.0	398.5	386.5	-7.5	4.5
Trade	325.3	331.5	319.9	-6.2	5.4
Wholesale Trade	89.4	89.7	88.0	-0.3	1.4
Retail Trade	235.9	241.8	231.9	-5.9	4.0
Clothing & General Merchandise	62.8	65.3	61.0	-2.5	1.8
General Merchandise	45.0	47.6	43.9	-2.6	1.1
Department Stores	21.9	23.7	21.2	-1.8	0.7
Other General Merchandise	23.1	23.9	22.7	-0.8	0.4
Motor Vehicle and Parts Dealers	33.0	33.7	33.3	-0.7	-0.3
Building Materials and Garden Equipment Dealers	18.5	18.3	19.3	0.2	-0.8
Food and Beverage Stores	40.5	41.0	40.0	-0.5	0.5
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	65.7	67.0	66.6	-1.3	-0.9
Transportation and Warehousing	56.7	57.9	57.9	-1.2	-1.2
Air Transportation	15.8	15.4	15.5	0.4	0.3
Truck Transportation	16.1	16.4	16.2	-0.3	-0.1
Utilities	9.0	9.1	8.7	-0.1	0.3
Information	31.2	31.5	30.1	-0.3	1.1
Telecommunications	13.2	13.4	13.1	-0.2	0.1
Financial Activities	150.6	152.1	154.0	-1.5	-3.4
Finance and Insurance	111.1	111.5	114.2	-0.4	-3.1
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	66.8	67.2	71.6	-0.4	-4.8
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	32.0	32.1	31.7	-0.1	0.3
Securities, Commodity Contracts	12.3	12.2	10.9	0.1	1.4
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	39.5	40.6	39.8	-1.1	-0.3
Professional and Business Services	316.7	325.5	317.9	-8.8	-1.2
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	103.1	103.9	100.7	-0.8	2.4
Management of Companies and Enterprises	23.2	23.2	22.4	0.0	0.8
Administrative and Support and Waste	190.4	198.4	194.8	-8.0	-4.4
Employment Services	102.6	107.5	104.1	-4.9	-1.5
Business Support Services	15.6	17.9	18.6	-2.3	-3.0
Services to Buildings and Dwellings	35.8	36.4	35.3	-0.6	0.5
Educational and Health Services	208.1	210.2	199.6	-2.1	8.5
Educational Services	33.5	34.2	32.3	-0.7	1.2
Health Care and Social Assistance	174.6	176.0	167.3	-1.4	7.3
Health Care	153.0	153.2	146.3	-0.2	6.7
Ambulatory Health Care Services	85.3	85.6	81.6	-0.3	3.7
Hospitals	44.3	44.1	43.0	0.2	1.3
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	23.4	23.5	21.7	-0.1	1.7
Social Assistance	21.6	22.8	21.0	-1.2	0.6
Leisure and Hospitality	186.9	190.5	182.8	-3.6	4.1
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	26.1	26.0	24.7	0.1	1.4
Accommodation and Food Services	160.8	164.5	158.1	-3.7	2.7
Accommodation	28.7	29.6	29.3	-0.9	-0.6
Food Services and Drinking Places	132.1	134.9	128.8	-2.8	3.3
Other Services (except Public Administration)	68.8	70.0	70.0	-1.2	-1.2
Government	250.4	252.7	230.8	-2.3	19.6
Federal	22.2	22.5	21.8	-0.3	0.4
State	52.9	53.0	46.1	-0.1	6.8
State Education	21.6	21.4	15.0	0.2	6.6
Local	175.3	177.2	162.9	-1.9	12.4
Local Education	100.1	101.8	91.3	-1.7	8.8

Notes: 1) Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale Metropolitan Area includes Maricopa and Pinal counties
For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 3

Tucson Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(2)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(a)	457.6	461.2	457.6	-3.6	0.0
Unemployment	20.6	19.6	18.1	1.0	2.5
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	4.3%	4.0%	0.2	0.5
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	436.9	441.5	439.6	-4.6	-2.7
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	375.7	385.9	380.6	-10.2	-4.9
Private Sector	299.5	305.7	303.8	-6.2	-4.3
Government	76.2	80.2	76.8	-4.0	-0.6
Goods-Producing Industries	54.5	55.5	54.9	-1.0	-0.4
Manufacturing	27.5	27.8	26.1	-0.3	1.4
Aerospace Products and Parts	12.1	12.1	10.5	0.0	1.6
Natural Resources and Mining	2.0	2.0	1.7	0.0	0.3
Construction	25.0	25.7	27.1	-0.7	-2.1
Specialty Trades	18.7	19.0	20.5	-0.3	-1.8
Service-Providing Industries	321.2	330.4	325.7	-9.2	-4.5
Private Service Providing	245.0	250.2	248.9	-5.2	-3.9
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	64.3	65.5	63.9	-1.2	0.4
Trade	55.1	56.3	54.7	-1.2	0.4
Wholesale Trade	10.1	10.0	9.6	0.1	0.5
Retail Trade	45.0	46.3	45.1	-1.3	-0.1
Clothing & General Merchandise	11.7	12.5	11.5	-0.8	0.2
General Merchandise	7.8	8.6	7.9	-0.8	-0.1
Department Stores	4.3	5.0	4.4	-0.7	-0.1
Other General Merchandise	3.5	3.6	3.5	-0.1	0.0
Food and Beverage Stores	9.1	9.2	9.1	-0.1	0.0
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	9.2	9.2	9.2	0.0	0.0
Information	5.7	5.7	6.3	0.0	-0.6
Financial Activities	16.3	16.8	18.4	-0.5	-2.1
Professional and Business Services	51.4	52.6	51.5	-1.2	-0.1
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	21.0	21.0	20.0	0.0	1.0
Administrative and Support and Waste	27.1	28.0	28.7	-0.9	-1.6
Employment Services	8.4	8.6	9.7	-0.2	-1.3
Business Support Services	8.2	8.5	8.1	-0.3	0.1
Educational and Health Services	54.0	54.8	53.5	-0.8	0.5
Health Care	41.8	41.7	40.5	0.1	1.3
Ambulatory Health Care Services	18.7	18.5	18.1	0.2	0.6
Hospitals	14.7	14.6	14.0	0.1	0.7
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	8.4	8.6	8.4	-0.2	0.0
Leisure and Hospitality	38.7	39.9	39.8	-1.2	-1.1
Accommodation and Food Services	34.2	35.1	35.0	-0.9	-0.8
Accommodation	5.8	6.2	7.1	-0.4	-1.3
Food Services and Drinking Places	28.4	28.9	27.9	-0.5	0.5
Other Services (except Public Administration)	14.6	14.9	15.5	-0.3	-0.9
Government	76.2	80.2	76.8	-4.0	-0.6
Federal	10.7	10.8	10.5	-0.1	0.2
State	21.9	24.6	23.4	-2.7	-1.5
State Education	16.7	19.5	18.5	-2.8	-1.8
Local	43.6	44.8	42.9	-1.2	0.7
Local Education	22.1	23.1	22.3	-1.0	-0.2

Notes: 2) Tucson Metropolitan Area includes all of Pima County
For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 4

Yuma Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(3)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(a)	82.0	81.3	76.7	0.7	5.3
Unemployment	8.5	9.2	7.5	-0.7	1.0
Unemployment Rate	10.4%	11.4%	9.8%	-1.0	0.6
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	73.5	72.0	69.2	1.5	4.3
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	56.3	56.9	54.6	-0.6	1.7
Private Sector	42.0	42.0	40.5	0.0	1.5
Government	14.3	14.9	14.1	-0.6	0.2
Goods-Producing Industries	8.2	8.2	8.3	0.0	-0.1
Manufacturing	3.6	3.5	3.4	0.1	0.2
Natural Resources and Construction	4.6	4.7	4.9	-0.1	-0.3
Service-Providing Industries	48.1	48.7	46.3	-0.6	1.8
Private Service Providing	33.8	33.8	32.2	0.0	1.6
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11.6	11.6	11.8	0.0	-0.2
Information	1.7	1.7	1.4	0.0	0.3
Financial Activities	1.7	1.6	1.7	0.1	0.0
Professional and Business Services	4.9	4.9	3.9	0.0	1.0
Educational and Health Services	6.2	6.2	6.1	0.0	0.1
Leisure and Hospitality	6.0	6.0	5.6	0.0	0.4
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.7	1.8	1.7	-0.1	0.0
Government	14.3	14.9	14.1	-0.6	0.2
Federal	3.4	3.4	3.3	0.0	0.1
State and Local	10.9	11.5	10.8	-0.6	0.1

Notes: 3) Yuma Metropolitan Area includes all of Yuma County
For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 5

Flagstaff Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(4)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Monthly/Yearly Change	
				Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(a)	70.2	70.1	68.5	0.1	1.7
Unemployment	3.5	3.2	3.1	0.3	0.4
Unemployment Rate	4.9%	4.6%	4.5%	0.3	0.4
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	66.8	66.9	65.4	-0.1	1.4
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	63.0	64.3	62.5	-1.3	0.5
Private Sector	43.7	44.6	42.9	-0.9	0.8
Government	19.3	19.7	19.6	-0.4	-0.3
Goods-Producing Industries	6.9	7.1	7.1	-0.2	-0.2
Manufacturing	3.7	3.7	3.6	0.0	0.1
Natural Resources and Construction	3.2	3.4	3.5	-0.2	-0.3
Service-Providing Industries	56.1	57.2	55.4	-1.1	0.7
Private Service Providing	36.8	37.5	35.8	-0.7	1.0
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	10.2	10.3	9.7	-0.1	0.5
Information	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	1.7	1.7	1.8	0.0	-0.1
Professional and Business Services	3.2	3.1	3.3	0.1	-0.1
Educational and Health Services	7.0	7.2	7.0	-0.2	0.0
Leisure and Hospitality	12.5	12.9	11.8	-0.4	0.7
Other Services (except Public Administration)	1.8	1.9	1.8	-0.1	0.0
Government	19.3	19.7	19.6	-0.4	-0.3
Federal	2.6	2.8	2.7	-0.2	-0.1
State and Local	16.7	16.9	16.9	-0.2	-0.2

Notes: 4) Flagstaff Metropolitan Area includes all of Coconino County
For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 6

Prescott Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(5)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(a)	99.9	99.3	96.6	0.6	3.3
Unemployment	4.6	4.2	4.0	0.4	0.6
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	4.2%	4.1%	0.4	0.5
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	95.3	95.1	92.6	0.2	2.7
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	64.7	65.8	63.3	-1.1	1.4
Private Sector	52.3	52.8	52.0	-0.5	0.3
Government	12.4	13.0	11.3	-0.6	1.1
Goods-Producing Industries	11.9	12.1	12.0	-0.2	-0.1
Manufacturing	3.3	3.3	3.5	0.0	-0.2
Natural Resources and Construction	8.6	8.8	8.5	-0.2	0.1
Service-Providing Industries	52.8	53.7	51.3	-0.9	1.5
Private Service Providing	40.4	40.7	40.0	-0.3	0.4
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	12.9	13.0	12.5	-0.1	0.4
Information	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0
Financial Activities	2.6	2.5	2.5	0.1	0.1
Professional and Business Services	4.3	4.4	4.8	-0.1	-0.5
Educational and Health Services	9.8	10.1	9.7	-0.3	0.1
Leisure and Hospitality	8.2	8.1	7.9	0.1	0.3
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2.0	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0
Government	12.4	13.0	11.3	-0.6	1.1
Federal	1.3	1.3	1.2	0.0	0.1
State and Local	11.1	11.7	10.1	-0.6	1.0

Notes: 5) Prescott Metropolitan Area includes all of Yavapai County
For other notes and source, see Table 7

Table 7

Lake Havasu City-Kingman Metropolitan Area Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment Data, January 2008^{(6)(a)}

(in Thousands)

	Monthly/Yearly Change				
	Jan. 2008 ^(b)	Dec. 2007 ^(c)	Jan. 2007	Dec. '07 - Jan. '08	Jan. '07 - Jan. '08
Civilian Labor Force^(a)	94.5	92.9	92.8	1.6	1.7
Unemployment	5.6	5.1	4.5	0.5	1.1
Unemployment Rate	5.9%	5.5%	4.8%	0.4	1.1
Unemployment Rate (Seasonally Adjusted)^(e)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total Employment	88.9	87.8	88.3	1.1	0.6
Nonfarm Payroll Employment^(f,g)	53.8	54.2	54.4	-0.4	-0.6
Private Sector	45.1	45.4	46.1	-0.3	-1.0
Government	8.7	8.8	8.3	-0.1	0.4
Goods-Producing Industries	9.1	9.2	10.3	-0.1	-1.2
Manufacturing	3.5	3.6	3.8	-0.1	-0.3
Natural Resources and Construction	5.6	5.6	6.5	0.0	-0.9
Service-Providing Industries	44.7	45.0	44.1	-0.3	0.6
Private Service Providing	36.0	36.2	35.8	-0.2	0.2
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	11.8	12.0	12.0	-0.2	-0.2
Information	0.9	1.0	1.0	-0.1	-0.1
Financial Activities	2.6	2.6	2.6	0.0	0.0
Professional and Business Services	4.0	3.8	3.8	0.2	0.2
Educational and Health Services	7.3	7.6	7.3	-0.3	0.0
Leisure and Hospitality	6.5	6.5	6.6	0.0	-0.1
Other Services (except Public Administration)	2.9	2.7	2.5	0.2	0.4
Government	8.7	8.8	8.3	-0.1	0.4
Federal	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0
State and Local	8.2	8.3	7.8	-0.1	0.4

Notes:

- Lake Havasu City-Kingman Metropolitan Area includes all of Mohave County
- Labor force, unemployment, total employment, and seasonally adjusted unemployment rate should not be used for economic-assistance programs. Data for economic-assistance programs are available by contacting ADOC, Research Administration
- Nonfarm Payroll Employment is preliminary and subject to revision in the following month
- Nonfarm Employment is revised monthly. LAUS (Local Area Unemployment Statistics) data, which consists of labor force, employment, unemployment, and unemployment rate (unadjusted and seasonally adjusted), is not revised monthly. For more information, see the LAUS section of Arizona Workforce Informer:
<http://www.workforce.az.gov/?PAGEID=67&SUBID=142#UEStats>
- Adjusted to Current Population Survey (CPS) to reflect place of residence
- Normal seasonal variations have been eliminated to reflect underlying trends
- By place of work; does not include agricultural workers, self-employed, unpaid family members, and domestic workers
- Detail may not add up exactly due to rounding

NA Not Available; Will Be Updated as Soon as Data Available

Source: Prepared by the Arizona Dept. of Commerce, Research Administration, in cooperation with the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, February 2008

APACHE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	20,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,350
Total Unemployment	1,950	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,950
Rate	9.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.6%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	18,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,400
Total Nonfarm	19,600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,600
Total Private	6,825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,825
Goods Producing	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	750
Service-Providing	18,850	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,850
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,725
Other Private Service-Providing	4,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,350
Government	12,775	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,775
Federal Government	3,225	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,225
State and Local Government	9,550	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,550

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence. Benchmark year 2007, quarter 1.

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COCHISE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	58,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58,200
Total Unemployment	2,925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,925
Rate	5.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.0%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	55,275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55,275
Total Nonfarm	37,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37,400
Total Private	25,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,200
Goods Producing	3,125	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,125
Mining and Construction	2,250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,250
Manufacturing	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	875
Service-Providing	34,275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34,275
Private Service-Providing	22,075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,075
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,875
Information	475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	475
Financial Activities	925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	925
Professional and Business Services	4,750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,750
Educational and Health Services	4,150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,150
Leisure and Hospitality	4,025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,025
Other Services	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	875
Government	12,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,200
Federal Government	4,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,800
State and Local Government	7,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,400

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COCONINO COUNTY (FLAGSTAFF MSA)
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	70.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70.2
Total Unemployment	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5
Rate	4.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	66.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.8
Total Nonfarm	63.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63.0
Total Private	43.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.7
Goods Producing	6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.9
Mining and Construction	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2
Manufacturing	3.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.7
Service-Providing	56.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.1
Private Service-Providing	36.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.2
Information	.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.4
Financial Activities	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7
Professional and Business Services	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2
Educational and Health Services	7.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0
Leisure and Hospitality	12.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.5
Other Services	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.8
Government	19.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19.3
Federal Government	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
State and Local Government	16.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.7

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence. Benchmark year 2007, quarter 1.

* Seasonal adjustment not applicable for revenue sharing purposes.

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GILA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	21,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21,350
Total Unemployment	1,125	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,125
Rate	5.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.2%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	20,250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,250
Total Nonfarm	14,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,400
Total Private	9,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,450
Goods Producing	2,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,500
Service-Providing	11,900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,900
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,325
Other Private Service-Providing	4,625	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,625
Government	4,950	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,950
Federal Government	450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	450
State and Local Government	4,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,500

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GRAHAM COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	15,150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,150
Total Unemployment	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	875
Rate	5.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	14,275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,275
Total Nonfarm	8,625	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,625
Total Private	5,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,800
Goods Producing	1,300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,300
Service-Providing	7,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,325
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,625	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,625
Other Private Service-Providing	2,875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,875
Government	2,825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,825
Federal Government	375	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	375
State and Local Government	2,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,450

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence. Benchmark year 2007, quarter 1.

* Seasonal adjustment not applicable for revenue sharing purposes.

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GREENLEE COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	4,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,325
Total Unemployment	175	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	175
Rate	3.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	4,175	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,175
Total Nonfarm	5,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,000
Total Private	4,475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,475
Goods Producing	3,900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,900
Service-Providing	1,100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,100
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250
Other Private Service-Providing	325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	325
Government	525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	525
Federal Government	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
State and Local Government	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	500

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence. Benchmark year 2007, quarter 1.

* Seasonal adjustment not applicable for revenue sharing purposes.

Data is rounded to the nearest 25. Annual averages may not add due to rounding.

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LA PAZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	8,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,000
Total Unemployment	475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	475
Rate	6.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.1%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	7,525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,525
Total Nonfarm	5,375	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,375
Total Private	2,650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,650
Goods Producing	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300
Service-Providing	5,075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,075
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	1,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,325
Other Private Service-Providing	1,025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,025
Government	2,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,725
Federal Government	325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	325
State and Local Government	2,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,400

Adjusted to the Current Population Survey (CPS 2008) to reflect place of residence. Benchmark year 2007, quarter 1.

* Seasonal adjustment not applicable for revenue sharing purposes.

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MARICOPA COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	1979.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1979.6
Total Unemployment	78.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78.0
Rate	3.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.9%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	1901.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1901.6
Total Nonfarm	1838.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1838.2
Total Private	1612.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1612.1
Goods Producing	284.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	284.4
Mining and Construction	152.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	152.9
Manufacturing	131.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	131.5
Service-Providing	1553.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1553.8
Private Service-Providing	1327.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1327.7
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	381.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	381.7
Information	30.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30.8
Financial Activities	149.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	149.0
Professional and Business Services	313.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	313.2
Educational and Health Services	203.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	203.8
Leisure and Hospitality	182.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	182.5
Other Services	66.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66.7
Government	226.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	226.1
Federal Government	20.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.9
State and Local Government	205.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	205.2

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MOHAVE COUNTY (LAKE HAVASU CITY-KINGMAN MSA)
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	94.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94.5
Total Unemployment	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6
Rate	5.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	88.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88.9
Total Nonfarm	53.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.8
Total Private	45.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45.1
Goods Producing	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.1
Mining and Construction	44.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44.7
Manufacturing	36.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36.0
Service-Providing	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.6
Private Service-Providing	3.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.5
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	11.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.8
Information	.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.9
Financial Activities	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
Professional and Business Services	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0
Educational and Health Services	7.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.3
Leisure and Hospitality	6.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5
Other Services	2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9
Government	8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.7
Federal Government	.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.5
State and Local Government	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2

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NAVAJO COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	39,175	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39,175
Total Unemployment	3,075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,075
Rate	7.8%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.8%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	36,100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,100
Total Nonfarm	29,925	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29,925
Total Private	18,900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,900
Goods Producing	3,475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,475
Mining and Construction	2,675	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,675
Manufacturing	800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	800
Service-Providing	26,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26,450
Private Service-Providing	15,425	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,425
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	5,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,725
Information	825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	825
Financial Activities	625	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	625
Professional and Business Services	1,250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,250
Educational and Health Services	3,575	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,575
Leisure and Hospitality	2,775	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,775
Other Services	650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	650
Government	11,025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,025
Federal Government	1,625	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,625
State and Local Government	9,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,400

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PIMA COUNTY (TUCSON MSA)
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	457.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	457.6
Total Unemployment	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20.6
Rate	4.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.5%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	436.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	436.9
Total Nonfarm	375.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	375.7
Total Private	299.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	299.5
Goods Producing	54.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.5
Natural Resources and Mining	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
Construction	25.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25.0
Manufacturing	27.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.5
Service-Providing	321.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	321.2
Private Service-Providing	245.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	245.0
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	64.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.3
Information	5.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.7
Financial Activities	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16.3
Professional and Business Services	51.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51.4
Educational and Health Services	54.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.0
Leisure and Hospitality	38.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38.7
Other Services	14.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.6
Government	76.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.2
Federal Government	10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.7
State and Local Government	65.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.5

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PINAL COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	106,750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	106,750
Total Unemployment	6,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,350
Rate	5.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.9%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	100,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100,400
Total Nonfarm	51,525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51,525
Total Private	32,675	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,675
Goods Producing	7,825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,825
Mining and Construction	4,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,000
Manufacturing	3,825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,825
Service-Providing	43,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43,700
Private Service-Providing	24,850	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,850
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	9,275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,275
Information	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350
Financial Activities	1,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,500
Professional and Business Services	3,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,450
Educational and Health Services	4,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,200
Leisure and Hospitality	4,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,500
Other Services	1,575	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,575
Government	18,850	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,850
Federal Government	1,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,350
State and Local Government	17,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,500

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SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	18,525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,525
Total Unemployment	1,300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,300
Rate	7.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.0%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	17,225	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,225
Total Nonfarm	15,250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,250
Total Private	11,475	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,475
Goods Producing	1,025	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,025
Service-Providing	14,225	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,225
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	6,450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,450
Other Private Service-Providing	4,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,000
Government	3,775	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,775
Federal Government	1,425	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,425
State and Local Government	2,350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,350

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**YAVAPAI COUNTY (PRESCOTT MSA)
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008**

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	99.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99.9
Total Unemployment	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6
Rate	4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	95.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	95.3
Total Nonfarm	64.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.7
Total Private	52.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.3
Goods Producing	11.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.9
Mining and Construction	8.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6
Manufacturing	3.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.3
Service-Providing	52.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.8
Private Service-Providing	40.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40.4
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	12.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.9
Information	.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.6
Financial Activities	2.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.6
Professional and Business Services	4.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.3
Educational and Health Services	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.8
Leisure and Hospitality	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2
Other Services	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0
Government	12.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.4
Federal Government	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.3
State and Local Government	11.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.1

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YUMA COUNTY (YUMA MSA)
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	82.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	82.0
Total Unemployment	8.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.5
Rate	10.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.4%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	73.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73.5
Total Nonfarm	56.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.3
Total Private	42.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42.0
Goods Producing	8.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.2
Mining and Construction	4.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.6
Manufacturing	3.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.6
Service-Providing	48.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48.1
Private Service-Providing	33.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33.8
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11.6
Information	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7
Financial Activities	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7
Professional and Business Services	4.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.9
Educational and Health Services	6.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.2
Leisure and Hospitality	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0
Other Services	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7
Government	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14.3
Federal Government	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.4
State and Local Government	10.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.9

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PHOENIX-MESA-SCOTTSDALE MSA
LABOR FORCE AND NONFARM EMPLOYMENT
2008

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVERAGE
Total Civilian Labor Force	2086.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2086.3
Total Unemployment	84.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84.3
Rate	4.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0%
Rate (Sea. Adj.) *	<i>Seasonally adjusted numbers are currently not available.</i>												
Total Employment	2002.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2002.0
Total Nonfarm	1,895.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,895.9
Total Private	1,645.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,645.5
Goods Producing	292.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	292.2
Natural Resources and Mining	3.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.2
Construction	153.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	153.7
Manufacturing	135.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135.3
Service-Providing	1,603.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,603.7
Private Service-Providing	1,353.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,353.3
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	391.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	391.0
Information	31.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31.2
Financial Activities	150.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150.6
Professional and Business Services	316.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	316.7
Educational and Health Services	208.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	208.1
Leisure and Hospitality	186.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	186.9
Other Services	68.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68.8
Government	250.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250.4
Federal Government	22.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.2
State and Local Government	228.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	228.2

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